

Dear Sir or Madam,

The Indiana Telephone Privacy (ITP) law has been very effective. I used to receive between five and ten unrequested telephone solicitations per day. Following the enactment of the ITP law, these annoyances have virtually ceased.

I pay for my telephone service as a convenience for myself and family. It is our primary means of communications for our family, as well as our sole communication device for emergency needs. Unwanted telephone calls interfere with the primary reasons that I have purchased this service.

Since the ITP law has been in effect, I have been able to answer my telephone with the knowledge that it will be a call that is consistent with my expectations of why I pay for telephone service.

Please do not allow the IPT law to be changed in favor of those people, whose only reason for wanting change is unsolicited business purposes. I have always believed that if I want to buy something, I will initiate the business discussions. And following that rationale, I consider unsolicited sales calls very close to being harassment.

Thank you for your consideration of the comments sent by the citizens of Indiana, as well as myself.

Very Sincerely,  
John L. Ferguson